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From the broadest possible perspective, data mining approaches analyze data obtained from a phenomenon to:

- ☐ a. understand past behavior or predict future behavior.
- ☐ b. predict future behavior and explain the causes of that behavior.
- ☐ c. understand or anticipate future deviations from expected behavior.
- ☐ d. Não quero responder
- ☐ e. anticipate future deviations from expected behavior and explain the causes of these deviations.

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In general, the most important challenge in carrying out a successful data mining project is the lack of guarantees regarding the results because:

- ☐ a. The CRISP-DM methodology does not guarantee that the business objectives are quantifiable.
- ☐ b. Não quero responder
- ☐ c. CRISP-DM methodology does not provide instruments to validate these results.
- ☐ d. The data may not contain the information needed to achieve the business objectives.
- ☐ e. the volume of data is so large that it is not possible to analyze it.

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Indicate in which of the following cases the reliability of the results of a poll on the vote intentions would be significantly affected. The poll is made on the basis of a sample of citizens:

- ☐ a. selected completely randomly.
- ☐ b. Não quero responder
- ☐ c. national and/or foreigners entitled to vote.
- ☐ d. with landline.
- ☐ e. with minimum age to vote, in accordance with the electoral law of Portugal.

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A set of data has missing values in a numeric variable, caused by data collection errors. Which of the following techniques is best suited to fill these values:

Selecione uma opção de resposta:

- ☐ a. Não quero responder
- ☐ b. the most frequent observed value.
- ☐ c. a value much higher than the highest observed value.
- ☐ d. 0.
- ☐ e. median.

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In a classification problem, where the objective is to predict whether a bus will be delayed in arriving at the next stop or not, the use of the data to estimate the generalization error should be:

- ☐ a. Não quero responder
- ☐ b. use a random sample of 70 percent of the data for training and the rest for testing.
- ☐ c. use a random sample of 30 percent of the data for training and the rest for testing.
- ☐ d. given day d, use data up to d-1 for training and data from d for testing.
- ☐ e. given day d, use data from d+1 for training and data up to d for testing.

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A prediction problem can be seen as, given a phenomenon $y=f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N)$, apply a learning algorithm:

- ☐ a. to the training data, represented as $(y, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N)$, to assess whether f is really the function that determines the relationship between the target variable y and the independent variables (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N) .
- ☐ b. Não quero responder
- ☐ c. to evaluate whether the value of the function $f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N)$ is really y .
- ☐ d. to the training data, represented as $f(y, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N)$, to try to predict the value of y .
- ☐ e. to the training data, represented as $(y, x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N)$, to try to identify f .

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In the k-means algorithm, as the value of the input parameter k increases, the sum of the within clusters quadratic errors:

- ☐ a. increase.
- ☐ b. Não quero responder
- ☐ c. does not change.
- ☐ d. decrease.
- ☐ e. may increase or decrease.

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If the rule {potatos} \Rightarrow {carrots} has a support of 0.5 and confidence of 1.0 then the rule {carrots} \Rightarrow {lettuce} will have a support of:

- ☐ a. 0.5 or higher.
- ☐ b. this case is impossible.
- ☐ c. Não quero responder
- ☐ d. less than 0.5.
- ☐ e. 0.5.

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One method to control overfitting in decision trees is to:

- ☐ a. increase the number of levels in the tree, to minimize the probability that a leaf will have an excessive number of examples.
- ☐ b. increase the number of levels in the tree, to minimize the probability that a leaf will have an insufficient number of examples.
- ☐ c. reduce the number of levels in the tree, to minimize the probability that a leaf will have an excessive number of examples.
- ☐ d. Não quero responder
- ☐ e. reduce the number of levels in the tree, to minimize the probability that a leaf will have an insufficient number of examples.

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The AUC measure:

- ☐ a. Não quero responder
- ☐ b. quantifies the probability that a negative example is ranked higher than a positive example.
- ☐ c. quantifiesthe probability that a positive example is ranked higher than a negative example.
- ☐ d. represents graphically the probability that a positive example is ranked higher than a negative example as the decision threshold decreases.
- ☐ e. represents graphically the probability that a negative example is ranked higher than a positive example as the decision threshold decreases.

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A Neural Network is a universal approximator because:

- ☐ a. Não quero responder
- ☐ b. it can model any continuous function with only 1 node in the internal layer.
- ☐ c. it can learn any model that any other algorithm learns, including decision trees, SVM and naive Bayes, given a sufficient number of nodes.
- ☐ d. it can learn any model that any other algorithm learns, including decision trees, SVM and naive Bayes.
- ☐ e. it can model any continuous function, given a sufficient number of nodes.

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Metalearning can be described as:

- ☐ a. a learning approach to understand the behavior of learning algorithms.
- ☐ b. the development of super-algorithms that are immune to the No-Free-Lunch theorem.
- ☐ c. a learning approach to correct the predictions made by learning algorithms.
- ☐ d. Não quero responder
- ☐ e. the development of super-algorithms that are immune to the curse of dimensionality.